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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (USCINCEUR OMMITTED AS ACTION ADDEE)
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TAGS: NATO, CSCE, PARM

SUBJECT: CSCE CONFIDENCE BUILDING MEASURES: U.S.
-- NOTIFICATION OF EXERCISE CERTAIN FIGHTER
REF: USNATO 1782

1. MISSION SHOULD CHECK WITH CINCEUR AND TABLE THE FOLLOW-
ING PROPOSED NOTIFICATION AT APRIL 5 POLADS:
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BEGIN TEXT OF NOTIFICATION: (COMPLIMENTARY OPENING)
AND HEREBY MAKES NOTIFICATION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE
PROVISIONS FOR NOTIFICATION OF MILITARY MANEUVERS SET OUT
IN THE FINAL ACT OF THE CONFERENCE ON SECURITY AND COOPERA-
TION IN EUROPE, OF THE MILITARY MANEUVER CERTAIN FIGHTER.
THIS MANEUVER IS TO BE HELD IN THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF

GERMANY. THE MANEUVER WILL INVOLVE FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES FIFTH CORPS FROM MAY 1-8, 1977. DETAILS OF THE MANEUVER FOLLOW:

NAME OF MANEUVER: CERTAIN FIGHTER
GENERAL DESCRIPTION: FIELD TRAINING
MANEUVER BY TROOPS OF THE U.S. ARMY AND AIR FORCE
PURPOSE OF MANEUVER: FIELD TRAINING MANEUVER WITH SIMULATED OPPOSING FORCES
OVERALL TIMING: MAY 1-8, 1977

TYPES OF FORCES: GROUND ASSAULT FORCES WITH AIR COVER
MAJOR UNITS PARTICIPATING: HEADQUARTERS AND ELEMENTS OF COMMAND AND COMBAT SUPPORT FORCES OF THE FIFTH U.S. CORPS
APPROXIMATE NUMBERS OF TROOPS INVOLVED: 24,000
(COMPLIMENTARY CLOSE) END TEXT OF NOTIFICATION.

2. FOR USNATO: MISSION SHOULD STATE THAT IN KEEPING WITH U.S. POLICY OF BEING FORTHCOMING ON NOTIFICATIONS, U.S. DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR POSTS WILL DELIVER THIS "VOLUNTARY" NOTIFICATION TO NON-NATO CSCE SIGNATORY GOVERNMENTS ON OR BEFORE APRIL 11. CONSULTATION AT NATO CONSTITUTES NOTIFICATION TO ALLIED GOVERNMENTS.

3. FOR CINCEUR: INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO WASHINGTON IN YOUR 300720 MAR 77 AND 071430Z FEB 77 IS ONLY AVAILABLE DATA ON CERTAIN FIGHTER AND IS BASIS FOR DRAFT NOTIFICATION. ANY CHANGES OR ADDITIONS SHOULD BE SUPPLIED IN TIME
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TO ALLOW POSTS TO DELIVER NOTIFICATION AS EARLY AS APRIL 8. DETAILS FOR POSSIBLE NOTIFICATIONS OF OTHER EXERCISES LIKELY TO EXCEED 10,000 TROOPS SHOULD BE SUPPLIED TO STATE AS WELL AS DOD.

4. FOR USNATO: MISSION SHOULD DETERMINE THE TOTAL "TROOP" STRENGTH OF ALLIED EXERCISE DAWN PATROL (6-18 MAY). ASSUMING IT TO BE IN THE "SIGNIFICANT" RANGE OF 10-25,000 TROOPS, WE WOULD SUPPORT NOTIFICATION BY THE PRINCIPAL PARTICIPANTS OR BY ONE PARTICIPANT ON BEHALF OF ALL. TEXT BE MODELED ON THAT GIVEN ABOVE FOR CERTAIN FIGHTER.

5. WE ARE NOT INCLINED TO INVITE OBSERVERS TO EITHER CERTAIN FIGHTER OR DAWN PATROL, BUT WILL WELCOME VIEWS OF PARTICIPATING ALLIES ON DAWN PATROL.

6. THE FRG DELEGATION SHOULD SUPPLY DETAILS ON BUNDESWEHR FORCES IF THEY WISH US TO MENTION WHAT WE UNDERSTAND TO

BE THEIR PARTICIPATION (300 TROOPS) WOULD ALSO BE
INTERESTED IN WHAT WE UNDERSTAND MAY BE AN FRG THIRD
CORPS MANEUVER IN THE VICINITY OF CERTAIN FIGHTER.

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